

## 1 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

2 A fixation plate includes a set of threaded peg holes adapted to individually  
3 receive fixation pegs therethrough and non-threaded alignment holes having a relatively  
4 smaller diameter than the peg holes and preferably sized to closely receive a K-wire. The  
5 alignment holes are located between the peg holes. One alignment hole is configured for  
6 aligning the plate during an osteotomy procedure, while other alignment holes are  
7 configured for use after fracture reduction and receive K-wires to temporarily stabilize  
8 the fracture and secure the plate to the bone and determine whether pegs inserted through  
9 adjacent respective peg holes will be properly located before drilling relatively larger  
10 holes for such pegs.